

## ACT and SAT Concordance Table for College Readiness Standards

The Council on Postsecondary Education will use the ACT and SAT information below to construct reports relating developmental education and college readiness needs at public postsecondary institutions. The information will be available online at the Council site, communicated to all public postsecondary institutions for placement testing and placement purposes, and to secondary institutions for use in efforts addressing college readiness. The table was established using concordance tables released by ACT and the College Board (<http://professionals.collegeboard.com/data-reports-research/sat/sat-act>). In the case of writing, a concordance with the SAT Writing score was used and in addition, an SAT Critical Reading score will be used. The scores on the chart indicate the college readiness targets.

For students taking both the ACT and SAT exams, the Council will use the higher student score in reporting the need for placement testing and developmental education.

### SAT Concordances with ACT Scores for Composite ACT Scores and 2010 College Readiness Standards

Subject	ACT Score	SAT Score
<b>Composite Score<sup>1</sup></b>	18	SAT 870 (Critical Reading + Math)
	19	SAT 910 (Critical Reading + Math)
	20	SAT 950 (Critical Reading + Math)
	21	SAT 990 (Critical Reading + Math)
	22	SAT 1030 (Critical Reading + Math)
	23	SAT 1070 (Critical Reading + Math)
<b>English</b>	ACT English 18	SAT Writing 430
		SAT Critical Reading 450
<b>Mathematics</b>	ACT Math 19	SAT Math 460
	ACT Math 22 <sup>2</sup>	SAT Math 510
	ACT Math 27 <sup>3</sup>	SAT Math 610
<b>Reading</b>	ACT Reading 20	SAT Critical Reading 470 <sup>4</sup>

Notes:

- 1) The ACT composite score is determined by the sum of the SAT Critical Reading and Mathematics scores.
- 2) An ACT Math score of 22 indicates College Algebra readiness.
- 3) An ACT Math score of 27 indicates Calculus readiness.
- 4) An ACT reading to SAT critical reading concordance has not been published. An ACT Reading to SAT Critical Reading score is used.